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Sir:

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A concise explanation of the relevance of these items is that these references were cited by the Finnish Patent Office in the corresponding Finnish application Serial No. 20002605, filed November 28, 2000. A copy of the Finnish Search Report in which they were cited is attached hereto.

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